GROUND BY THE GRIP

Little Two-Year-Old Nellie McGibbon

Killed Instantly

ON THE FIFTH AVENUE CABLE ROAD

She Suddenly Ran Right in Front of a Car

Going Down Grade.

THE GRIPMAN'S STORY OF THE AFFAIR

The first fatal accident happened on the

Fifth Avenue Traction line yesterday after-noon at 4:40 o'clock. Ellen McGibbon, a

little daughter of Mr. John McGibbon, 2

years and 5 months old, started to run across

the road on Fifth avenue, near Jumonville

street, and was struck by car No. 14, going

toward East Liberty, and crushed under the

wheels, only giving one gasp before dying. The little child was a daughter of Mr.

John McGibbon, a worker at Moorhead &

McLane's Soho mills, who lives in the rear of 481 Forbes street, on 'Ann street, with a

family of four children-little Lizzie,7 years

of age; Ellen, or Nellie, as she was com-

monly called, 2 years and 5 months old; lit-tle Walter, 3 years old, and a babe in its-mother's arms, the mother having been con-fined to her bed for about 13 months, and is

THE LITTLE ONES START FOR A WALK

Yesterday Lizzie came home from school and told the other children she would take

them walking. Tying on their bonnets the trio started down Fifth avenue on the south

side of the street, all holding hands and chatting along in childish glee at a walk with sister. What followed is better told in the words of Miss Lizzie Hoffman, a girl

in the employ of Mrs. Minnie Schliter, Fifth avenue, near Jumonville street.

When seen by a DISPATCH reporter last

night, she said:
"About 4:40 o'clock I was standing at

"The gripman pulled his levers, but could

not stop the car quick enough, and it struck the little girl, and I saw the car heave up as

she went under the wheels. The child was on the side next to the track the car was

A PHYSICIAN USELESS.

East End.

Mahey.

THE OHIO FIRE EATER.

Governor Foraker Compliments Harrison

Puts in a Good Word for Foster and Gives Old Thurman a Binst.

crowd that went to Washington last even-ing over the Baltimore and Ohio road. The

"I want to be remembered," he said, "t

the boys in the Americus Club. I have a

that he could talk about.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

Black and White Dress Fabrics, in a beautiful assortment of new design

French all-wool Cashmeres, so colorings-40-inch, 50c; 46-inch, 75 and \$1 25 a yard, over 500 pieces n the shelves, and more coming.

New extra wide English Serge S

New French Broadcloths, spring weights

Stylish American-made Woolen Dre

HUGUS & HACKE.

WFSu SCROPULA cured free of charge at 1102

Black Goods Department.

FOR INFLUENZA and HOARSENESS. -IT 15-

SAFE FOR CHILDREN. PRICE. 25

20 men will be affected. Inspector Mc-Aleese said the changes were made for the CENTS. FOR SALE BY ALL DRUGGISTS. Charles Amsler, the engineer who built FLEMING BROS., PITTSBURG, PA. the Duquesne Rail Mill, left for Philadel-phia last night. He stated that they ex-

KID GLOVES and CORSETS

::: T. T. T. :::

109 FEDERAL STREET, ALLEGHENY.

A BIG STRIKE IS OFF.

The Trouble at the Republic Iron Governor Foraker, of Ohio, was one of the Works Settled by a Close Vote.

A DISCHARGED MAN DISSATISFIED Governor was accompanied by a number of Ohio colonels. In natural repose he doesn't look like the untamed fire eater that he The Highest Power in the Amalgamated

really is. 'He is pleasant enough, willing to talk, but unfortunately there is not much in the field of politics outside of the Cabinet Association is Upset. . THE SITUATION IN THE COKE REGION

One of the most remarkable cases in the very kind regard for them, and will never history of the Amalgamated Association occurred yesterday. The decision of the forget what they did for me. I expect to see a number of them at the inauguration. Executive Board, the highest in the order, "I think Mr. Harrison will make an excellent President. He knows how to keep his mouth shut, and is singularly happy when he opens it. I regard his speeches made during the campaign as fine specimens of English composition and well worth study. He is certainly an able man, and he displayed a remarkable facility in discussing the most intricate political subjects with ease. It shows that the new President is well posted, and has a mind of his own. in the order has been declared off.

his own.
"I don't know who will be in the cabinet. I hardly think McKinley would leave the House to become a Cabinet officer though he would fill any position well. Mr. Foster is mentioned as the Ohio repre-sentative, and I can say for him that a bet-ter man could not be chosen. I am sure ision the mill was closed. THE DECISION OVERTHEOWN.

> new enterprises are projected in the spring that will create an increased consumption. The friends of Mr. Carroll were sur-prised at the decision of the meeting, and when he learned that he had been dis-

charged and could not be reinstated, he was seen by a DISPATCH reporter and said: The public has not been correctly informed regarding my case. I had agreed to do some political work in my ward on election day, and as we have 19 extra puddlers, or subs, as they may be called, I did not anticipate any trouble in getting off on that day.

The watchman who wakes me when I go on duty was around on election morning, but I told him that I had been excused, and would not work that day. Later in the morning I was told that unless I went to the mill my furnace would have to stand, as there was no person that could take my place. Rather than see the furnace stand, I decided not to take any part in polities that day, and went around to the mill. When I arrived I found that my helper had charged the furnace, and for the first heat drew 510 pounds of iron.

This is an exceptionally good run for a heat, as 300 pounds is considered good. When I entered the mill the manager told me that I was discharged for neglect of duty and my services were no longer required. I at once appealed the case to the mill committee and was sustained. The Executive Committee also sustained me, and the action of the joint meeting to-day in overthrowing that decision has never been done before in the history of the Amal-The watchman who wakes me when I go or

FORCED INTO THE ORDER. I was instrumental in building up the lodges in our mill two years ago, and forced the people in our mill two years ago, and forced the people who voted against me to join the order. I am satisfied with the result, however, and have nothing further to say.

Before the meeting was called to order to-day a statement was made that I tried to break up the order two years ago. This was promptly denied, and one of the men that worked against me was one whom I forced into the organization. When he saw that he had to join he counted out the money necessary to pay his initiation fee and dues, and threw it down at my feet. I gave him one minute to hand me the money in the proper manner, and before the minute was up I had the money in the proper manner, and before the minute was up I had

that he had to be conveyed to the Allegheny General Hospital. The police found several articles in the ruins which were identified as A NATIONAL ORGANIZATION To be Formed by Glass Packers and Flint Glass Men Holding Off Shipments for Lower

gramme consisted of overtures, vocal and instrumental solos. The audience next few days.

The new organization will issue a paper monthly devoted to the interests of the members. It will be called The Glass Packer, and will be edited by John L. Frank, of

The Young Men's Tariff Club met last night and admitted seven new members. The committee appointed to devise new by-laws reported. Arrangements were made to celebrate the opening of the club house INTO THREE CLASSES. in April. Wages.

Want Better Country Roads. A Committee of the Western Pennsyl vania Engineer's Society will meet to-night on Fourth avenue yesterday afternoon, and to drait a bill for a general road law for the State tending towards improving the present condition of country travel.

First district will be changed to-day. About factory to the men although some may object to the class in which they will be good of the force.

THE PLANT STILL IDLE.

an Attempt Made to Freeze Out the K. of L. at Uniontown.

The following telegram was received last night from Uniontown: The Beeson Coke Works of the Stewart Company, have been shut down singe the 1st of Company, have been shut down single the list of February, in an attempt to free themselves from the control of the Knights of Labor, to which the men belong. A number of men had been quietly engaged to go to, work yesterday morning, when the labor official learned of it after inidnight and succeeded in preventing the new men from going to work and the plant is still idle.

A Change in Management. Joseph McNertuey, who has been mana ger of Macbeth & Co.'s glass factory on the Southside for six years, has resigned. His

position will be filled by John A. Hare.
Before he left, the employes presented him
with an elegant gold watch, chain, and
charm. The presentation speech was made
by John Ehman, of the Ohio Valley The Reunion Committee of the American

Flint Glass Workers Union met yesterday afternoon, and fixed the date for the reunion. It will be held at Rock Point, en the last Saturday in June. The next meeting of the committee will be held at Wheeling on Sunday. Labor Notes.

by getting caught beneath a roll yesterday. He was taken to his home on Sixteenth street, where Dr. Duncan attended him. THE trouble at the Vesuvius Iron Work has been settled and all the men are at work has been settled and all the men are at working and.

THE flint glass trade is better than it has been for many months, particularly in the engraving and cutting lines.

THE furnacemen in the Ohio Valley have THE furnacemen in the Ohio Valley have decided to accept a reduction of 10 per cent in wages, and a strike will not occur.

SECRETARY MARTIN, of the Amalgamated Association, has been indorsed by L. U. 15, of the A. F. G. W. U., of Martin's Ferry, for the position of Commissioner of Labor.

Association from Philadelphia will be present.

Jehn Gallinger, an employe of the vitriol work, in the Eighteenth ward, was badly burned about the face and breast yesterday by a spingh of vitriol. He was taken to his home on Fifty-second street, where Dr. Gardner attended him. It is feared that the sight of one eye has been destroyed.

THE COKE SITUATION.

Falling Off of Production Owing to an Over-Production of Iron-All the Ovens in Operation, but no Destination for The Connellsville Courier, in reviewing

the Connellsville Courter, in reviewing the coke trade, will say to-day:
Orders recede further and further from the shores of prosperity. Until there is a decided improvement in the iron trade there can be no more or any material change for the better in the coke situation. There is an over-production of iron at present, but there is also a general of iron at present, but there is also a general shutting down of some of the furnaces and a consequent evening up of the situation.

The operation of the 77 coke plants of Connellsville coke region for the week ending February 28, shows a decided falling off in production, but, strange to say, no change whatever has occurred in the list of active and idle ovens reported for the previous week. There continue to be 12,383 ovens in blast and 378 idle. The region only averaged 44 days last continue to be 12,883 ovens in blast and 3/8 idle. The region only averaged 4½ days last week as against 3 days the previous week. The J. M. Schoonmaker Coke Company and the furnace ovens generally, ran 6 days, the McClure Company 5 days, and all the other prominent operators 4 days. The production is estimated at 98,459 tons as against 108,596 tons during the previous week.

Knocked Down at a Sheriff's Sale

Last Year.

year. The report will be presented at the

next meeting of the Councils. It shows a decided falling off in both arrests and re-ceipts, as compared with the previous year. The total number of arrests during the year were 3,042, and last year there were

3,081 arrests. The principal causes for arrest were disorderly conduct, 1,195, and

A SHANTY BURNED

nd a Man Badly Hurt-Stolen Articles

A shanty boat on the north side of the Al-

egheny river, near the Ft. Wayne Railroad bridge, was completely destroyed by fire

LIMESTONE REDUCED.

The glass men are holding off shipments

recommended to the joint committee.

Pittsburg.

from 60 to 50 cents from Valley points to

A Railronders' Entertainment.

The Pennsylvania Railroad departmen

of the Y. M. O. A , at Twenty-eighth street,

association rooms last night. The pro-

Changing the Police.

The First Rall To-morrow.

cted to make the first rail to-morro

LOCAL ITEMS, LIMITED.

Incidents of a Day in Two Cities Condenses

for Rendy Rending.

A TOTAL of \$154,547 47 was handled last

nonth in the money order department of the Pittsburg postoffice.

THE McKeesport Gas Fuel Company are drilling for gas in the Ninth avenue gas terri-tory near McKeesport.

JOHN MARSTON, an employe in the Ex-

celsior Coffin Works, Manchester, had his hand crushed in a small cogwheel yesterday.

CHIEF ELLIOT contemplates a request to the Legislature to adopt some remedy to re-

THE patrol stable of the Thirty-sixth ward is nearly completed and it is probable that by Monday the West End will have a patrol wagon of its own in operation.

JACOB ARMSTRONG, a colored man, was ar-rested by Inspector Whitehouse yesterday on auspicion of having stolen two gold watches from the house of Homer Allen, on Homewood

JAMES BECK, of Ella street, Bloomfield.

Citzens' line a week ago, was lving in a pre-carious condition last night. His recovery is doubtful.

JOHN ANDERSON, one of the workmen a Sheenberger & Co.'s mills, had a foot crushe

who was caught and crushed by a car on the

lieve the overcrowded condition of the Farm.

The patrolmen and cornermen in the

Found in the Ruins.

was overruled for the first time, and a strike that was sanctioned by the highest officials Mention was made yesterday of the strike at the Republic Iron Works on the Southside on account of the discharge of T. E. Carroll, a puddler, whom, it was claimed, did not work on election day. Mr. Carroll laid his case before the mill committee and was sustained. The case then went to the Executive Committee, the highest body in the order in that district, and he was also sustained. In accordance with this de-

A joint meeting of the Amalgamated As-A joint meeting of the Amalgamated Astion a better standing with foreigners. Something will be done also to build up the merchant marine. I don't believe Mr. Harquestion was discussed. Over two hours rison favors the annexation of Canada. We were consumed in talking on the question, don't want that country. We can get and a vote was finally taken. It resulted in overthrowing the decision of the Executive Committee by a vote of 173 to 101. This is an unparalled case, and the men will all be at work this morning, as the majority of members of lodges in a mill-can overthrow any decision made by the Executive Committee.

Crushed coke grows in favor at the same point.

A good demand is reported for foundry and furnace coke at Detroit, but at Buffalo orders are falling off, stocks are accumulating and prices are weak. The same condition of affairs obtains generally in other Western markets.

HIS UNDERSTANDING OF IT.

to-day in overthrowing that decision has never been done before in the history of the Amal

the money in my possession. I did not want to cause a strike at the mill, but think the mem-bers of the two lodges at the mill should have stood by ma.

Glass Workers. The glass packers have repeatedly tried to gain admittance to the American Flint Glass Workers' Union without success. They are organized in the Knights of Labor, but are desirous of having a National Trades Assembly. The Pittsburg glass packers are attached to D. A. 3, and those n the Wheeling district belong to the State Assembly of the K. of L. Others are connected with mixed locals and districts. Several meetings have been held all over the country within the past few weeks and it has been decided to form a National Trades Assembly. The organization will include all glass packers, mixers, teasers, blacksmiths, coopers, and others who are eligible to membership in the A. F. G. W.

U. The necessary steps have been taken and a charter will be applied for within the ness in Allegheny got themselves into trouble yesterday, and their case may give next few days.

vas well pleased with the entertainment. Wheeling.

Some time ago Mrs. Bayne rented a house from Ewing & Byers, on Federal street. She paid the first month's rent in advance, and signed a lease for the house. After that the agents wanted her to Master Painters Meet and Adopt a Scale of pay in advance every month, but she refused, and gave them the rent when it was due. She did not allow the rent to fall behind, but the firm were not The Master Painters met at their rooms

prepared grading cards, as they are called, for workmen. The men are divided into three classes. The first, or best painters, will receive 331/4 cents per bour, those in the second class 30 cents an hour and the third class 27 cents an It is believed that the wages will be satis-

ants cannot appeal from the decision. If they do not pay the costs to-day the Con-stable will levy on their furniture. THE COLORED SCHOOL. an Entertainment to Be Given by Youn

Pickannies May 1. Father McDermott, of the Holy Ghos College, who has charge of the colored mis sion school in this city, has re-opened his evening school on Fulton street. Although attended mostly by colored children there are quite a number of white young men who go every evening to receive instruction in some branch.

Father McDermott is making arrange-ments for an entertainment to be given by the colored children in a hall in this city

about May 1. ALLEGHENY CITY'S POOR.

The Monthly Meeting of the Finance Committee of the Home. The Finance Committee of the Allegheny Poor Board met last night. The report of Clerk Hunter showed that, during the month of February, \$595 58 was spent in outdoor relief. The receipts of the office were \$170 87. Thirteen inmates were admitted since last month. There are now 269 inmates in the home. There are 104 patients in the invane department and 14 in the hosnital. the hospital.

Need Not be Paid For

Attorney Yoat is authority for the state turned out of Painter & Sons and Lindsay & McCutcheon's mills is used on Pittsburg beer barrels and kegs."

Prohibitionists Active.

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A Hot Bed of Policy Writers.

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Tobe Decker and John Kerns were arrested last night by Detectives Coulson and McKelvy on a charge of policy writing. When found in Allegheny fully 20 men were in the room.

Allegheny City Needs Nearly \$236,000 for the Committee of the Allegheny Board of School Controllers met last night and fixed the millage for the ensuing year. It will be 33-10 mills this year and will amount to \$177,000.

This money will be appropriated as follows: Board of Control, \$2,714; teachers' salaries, \$165,000; Hotal, \$177,388.

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don't want that country. We can get along better without her."

The Governor also paid his respects to the Old Roman. He said he was dragged around the country for hippodroming purposes, and on account of his great age and feebleness the people pitied him, and the truth could not be told about him. When the name of Horizontal Bill Morrison was mentioned the Governor resmarked that he mentioned, the Governor remarked that he was glad to hear that he was still living. He supposed Morrison had died long ago, from the effects of the drubbing old Jehu Baker gave him. "I tell you the old man was no fool," he concluded.

A number of prominent Ohio politicians from Ashtabula went to Washington last night. They groke highly of Foreign and

"About 4:40 o'clock I was standing at the window, watching the traction cars pass. Across the street I noticed three little children coming down the street, all 'hold of hands.' When about opposite Lingenfelser's new house the largest girl crossed the street, and was waiting for the others to come. The other two stood at the curb. Suddenly one ran to cross the street. Just then I saw a car coming, headed toward the East End. night. They spoke highly of Foraker, and predicted a great future for him. In the party were Colonel W. C. Haskell, Dwight Crowell, D. Souls, C.W. Jaques and others.

IMPORTANT ACTION OF A. O. U. W.

running on, and was so little she probably did not see the oncoming car as she toddled to the middle of the track." They Ask That No Adverse Legislation be Passed - Resolutions Adopted - Liquor Men Not Barred Out. At the afternoon session of the A. O. U. When the accident occurred, Dr. J. P. W. the time was taken up in hearing the reports of committees to whom had been re-Orr happened to be coming up the street and picked up the child after the car had been backed off, but the little thing only ferred the annual report of the Grand gasped once before expiring. A workman just then rushed out from a house near by Master to consider. The report of the first committee was concerning the institution of and threw a bag over the child, shutting the little bruised and bleeding body from sight. When little Lizzie saw what happened, new lodges. The recommendation of Committee No. 3

to purchase their present quarters was voted down, and it was advised to simply renew the lease of the offices and make some jmshe rushed toward home, and to a neighbor's house, this side, crying "On, Mrs. Heffrin, Nellie is under the traction car, with both legs broken, and the bones sticking out." Mr. Heffrin then ran to the scene, and took the child from Dr. Orr's arms and provements.

The following resolution was then brought it home. Shortly after THE DIS-PATCH reporter reached the house, Coroner McDowell also arrived, and together the lit-

the fact that at every session of the State Legislature attempts are made to enact laws, which tend to hamper and retard, and indeed possibly abolish not only the A. O. U. W., but many other excellent and beneficent societies, requires the officers of our Grand Lodge to be constantly on the alert for such adverse legislation. We deem it proper that the Grand Master Workman should be empowered and authorized to take steps that may be for the best interests of our order; and to call to his assistance such aid as he may deem necessary, and to co-operate with similar societies in the prevention, if possible, of all legislation inimicable to our order.

The Committee on Supreme Represents.

is just recovering. The father was too heart-broken to say much, and as the reporter left The Committee on Supreme Representa-tives reported the following, which was little Walter was leaning against the side of the wall crying for Nellie.; In regard to the recommendation of the Supreme Lodge concerning persons engaged in the manufacture or sale of liquors, your committee are of the opinion that the expulsion of a member of this order on account of his business is in conflict with both law and practice, and that our law amply provides for the punishment of habitual drunkards. We recommend, therefore, the affirmation of the action of the Grand Lodge taken at the last session. A SISTER'S STORY. Lizzie said to a neighbor last night that she thought that her sister caught her toe in the slot as she went to cross, but it was all done so quickly that she is not certain The gripman was learned to be Mr. John

Packard, and the conductor Mr. James Mc-The gripman ran the car through to East Liberty, and on his return to Oak-land gave himself up to Special Officer James McLaughlin, and was lodged in the Fourteenth ward police station, awaiting The significance of the action referred to is to the effect that the fact that an applicant for membership in the order is engage

Real Estate Agents Cannot Put a To Let

Sign on a House.

A firm of real estate agents doing busi-

a pointer to others in the same business who

content with this way of doing business. Several days ago they put a "To Let" sign on the house and Mrs. Bayne sued them for

The case was tried before Alderman McNulty last evening, and he rendered a verdict in favor of the plaintiff. The costs

in the case amounts to over \$18 and defend

in the liquor business is not sufficient to Gripman Packard was released from jail justity his rejection.

The session will be continued to-day. about 9:30 o'clock by Coroner McDowell. Chief Engineer Davis of the company went his bail, and put up a bond of \$2,000 for Packard's appearance at the Coroner's hear A SINGULAR CASE.

do likewise.

While on the way from the Fourteenth ward station house to the Central station in charge of Lieutenant William Duncan, Packard was interviewed by a DISPATCH reporter. He looked and felt very badly over the accident, and said to the reporter over the accident, and said to the reporter:

"The father of the little girl cannot feel any worse than I do over the sad affair. The accident was a thing that could not be avoided, although I tried my best to do so.

"I was coming down the Soho hill just east of Gist street, and when nearing the corner of Jumonville street I noticed the little girl kind of standing in the gutter. She seemed to be motionless, and I did not think anything of her standing there. When the cowcatcher of my car got amost opposite her, she ran out onto the track within five or six feet of the car. As is my custom, I had one hand on the grip lever custom, I had one hand on the grip lever and the other on the wheel brake. As soon as she ran out I threw back the grip and

HE TELLS HIS SIDE.

Legislature passed the bill submitting the matter to the people, the arrangements and orders were cancelled.

"Frauenheim & Vilsack were going to remodel their ice house and build it almost entirely of iron. The order for the work was to be given to a Pittsburg company, and the iron was to be made in hours after the shot was fired, and was relatively for the pank. It was on a down grade was down grade was down grade was down grade was fired, and was relatively for the people, the arrangements and could have shown the brake lever, throwing my whole weight on it. The wheels locked the grip and jammed down the brake lever, throwing my whole weight on it. The wheels locked carly yesterday morning in Miller's brick yard in Allegheny by shooting himself through the heart. The body was discovered about two hours after the shot was fired, and was relatively for the people, the arrangements and orders were cancelled.

A Young Man Shoots Himself Because he Could Not Live With His Girl.

A young man committed suicide early yesterday morning in Miller's brick yard in Allegheny by shooting himself through the brake lever, throwing my whole weight on it. The wheels locked to grade the transmitted suicide early yesterday morning in Miller's brick yard in Allegheny by shooting himself through the brake the grip and jammed down the brake the grip and jammed down the brake the grip and jammed down the brake lever, throwing my whole weight on it. The wheels locked to great that it could not be stopped, and slid along the track. It was on a down grade was on a committed suicide early yesterday morning in Miller's brick yard in Allegheny by shooting himself through the brake the grip and jammed down the brake lever, throwing my whole weight on it. The wheels locked the grip and jammed down the brake lever, throwing my whole weight on it. The wheels locked the grip and jammed down the brake lever, throwing my whole weight on it. stances.

moved to Herman & Ebbert's undertaking "The cowcatcher of the car hit her, and establishment on Ohio street. TUBNED HER AROUND. The front wheels of the car ran onto her body and as they stopped there, you can imagine how quickly the car was stopped. If the child had not run out on the track name. One of the letters was from a girl
named Christiana Loebr, who said her
parents would not allow the man to visit
her. This evidently caused him to end his
her. If she had been standing on the track existence. His name was not known until last night, when William Loehr called at the undertakers' office and identified him as her or would have stopped the car." her or would have stopped the car."
Mr. Packard is 36 years of age, and has been running a grip car for a number of years. He ran on the Philadelphia lines, and came to this city when the Fifth avenue road opened. He was one of those the company brought here to teach the new

ANOTHER CENTRAL OFFICE. .

Telephone Rates for Lawrenceville to be Fixed at 884 Per Year. The Telephone Company will locate a entral office at the corner of Butler and central office at the corner of Butler and
Thirty-ninth streets to accommodate the
people of Lawrenceville and Millvale. The
branch office will lessen the necessity for the
use of so much wire to reach the telephones,
and will have a tendency to cheapen rates
in that part of the city.

Superintendent Metzgar states that the
price of a telephone in Lawrenceville will
be reduced to \$84 per year hereafter.

EDUCATIONAL EXPRISES Allegheny City Needs Nearly \$200,000 for

AND CANNOT BE COLLECTED FOR.

harneko Has Shaved and in Asked to Lecture. A gentler

an, who was prominently con-the recent Rivers to Peni-

nected with the recent Riversa's Penitentiary to vestigation and tried of Dr. Maha neke, received a letter from a Senator yesterday stating that the proposed senate Investigation Committee had not made any arrangements for visiting Pittsbury yet, but would do so as soon as the appropriation bill passes the House and gets be tree the Senate.

The letter said that it could not positively be stated what would be done, but from the sentiments of the members, there is a disposition to thoroughly it vestigate.

The man who was an eastly dressed, wore a silk hat over his left eyn and scarcely looked like his usual self, as his sunny sidewhiskers had been shaven off.

He was in very good hamor, but expressed the hope that the press and public was satisfied since he had been fired, and only wished hereafter to be let alone; also that he did not know what business he would go into, but that he will probably leave the city.

The doctor considered it a pretty good

is estimated at 98, 459 tons as against 108,596 tons during the previous week.

The shipments for last week were as follows:
To Pittsburg and river points, 1,200 cars; to points west of Pittsburg, 2,250 cars; to points east of Counglisville, 1,100 cars; total, 5,120 cars.
The figures for the previous week were as follows: Pittsburg, 1,200 cars; west, 3,259; east, 1,250; total, 5,700. Pittsburg shipments continue to hold their own, but there has been a decided falling off in both the eastern and western output. The tonnage for last week, estimating 18 tons por car, was equivalent to 5,470 cars, or 350 more cars than the shipments. Much of this coke was standing about the sidings loaded in the cars, but guiltless of a destination. This may have given rise to the persistent, but perfectly groundless, report that there is a scarcity of cars in the region. It is orders, not cars, that are scarce. Although there has been some cutting of late, prices of coke remain substantially as hitherto quoted, namely: Furnace coke, \$1.55; to dealers, \$1.35; foundry coke, \$1.50; crushed coke, \$2.20; all on board at evens, per ton of 2,000 pounds.

Advices from Chicago are to the effect that new enterprises are projected in the spring that will create an increased consumption. The doctor considered it a pretty goo joke on himself and everybody else, that he had been asked to lecture in the Bijou Theater. The subject was to be "Life in the Penitentiary," and he was to get a big share of the proceeds.

The offer was certainly bona fide, but the doctor is so modest since his recent experi-ence that he declares he never wishes to ap-pear before the public again in any role

A VICTORY FOR BEER. Brewers Win an Impostant Lawsuit in Prohibition Iowa.

IOWA CITY, February 28 .- After an examination to-day and arguments, the Justice of the Peace ordered the return to the brewing companies of the 500 kegs of beer sent here from other States and seized by the Temperance Alliance. There can be no appeal by the State and the beer will be returned to the cars from whence taken.

The Asceola Coal plant was purchased yesterday by Stamos B. Dewees, of Chester county, at a Sheriff's sale. Mr. Dewees will Silk Department. A 24-inch black gros-grain silk, our regular \$1 50 quality, we offer this week only at \$1 10 per yard. Hugus & Hacke. put the tipple in operation in a very short A LIGHT FALLING OFF.

FINE watches a specialty; low prices a ertainty, at Hauch's, No. 295 Fifth ave. The Criminal Business Done in Allegheny The Allegheny fiscal year closed last night, and Chief Clerk Hunneshagen of the Wash Goods Department. Mayor's office prepared the annual report of the business done in the office during the

An unequaled variety to select from in French and American satines. Many ex-clusive designs. HUGUS & HACKE. MWFSu Big Mark - Down Sale. Go to the big mark-down sale of clothing for men and boys at the Hub. The people will hever have another chance to buy clothing at such low prices as we are offering at this sale. We want room and the goods must be sold at the Boston Clothing House, 439 Smithfield st.

drunkenness, 894.

The receipts were \$11,627 49, compared with \$14,391 89 last year. Special India Silk Sale This Week. A very large purchase, but they will go like the first lot, quick-75 cents a yard and

JOS. HORNE & Co.'s Big Mark-Down Sale

vesterday afternoon. The owner in trying to coat the roof of his boat, let the hot tar Go to the big mark-down sale of clothing for men and boys at the Hub. The people will never have another chance to buy run over on the floor, and in a few moments All was aflame.

A man named Burns was so badly burned clothing at such low prices as we are offering at this sale. We want room and the goods must be sold at the Boston Clothing House, 439 Smithfield st.

Clonk Department. New line spring jackets, all styles, colors and sizes, from \$5 upward. MWFSu

GOLD and silver-head canes and um-brellas, fine artificial flowers and plants expecting a change to be made in the railowest prices at Hauch's, No. 295 Fifth ave. road classification. The Pittsburg committee have their appeal under advisement, but

it is doubtful if a reduction in rates will be Carson st., Southside. The Youngstown committee of freight agents yesterday reduced the limestone rate CASH paid for old gold and silver at Hauch's, No. 295 Fifth ave. WFSu

Elegant novelties in spring and summer fabrics, etamines, grenadines, hernanni, serges, etc., just opened this week.

MWFSU HUGUS & HACKE.

gave a very pleasing entertainment at the A COUGH IS THE FIRST WHISPERING of approaching disease. Tickling throats develop into coughs.

Coughs lead to the great enemy consumption. A stitch in time often saves life itself. KIDD'S COUGH SYRUP.

COUGHS, COLDS, SORE THROAT, PLEASANT AND ABSOLUTELY

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THOMPSON BROTHERS.

DAILY

In English, French and German shades and most fashionable weaves. Note the prices at which we

ings at #2 a yard; also French Ser

Goods, plaid and stripe combination

50-inch Plain all-wool Suitings at 80e Our immense stock of Ginghams and

Satines, finest foreign and best American can makes. Ask to see the beautit "Henrietta" Satines, finest made. Pop ular prices on all Wash Dress Goods the largest stock in the country.

Special bargain sale of fine Kid Gloves-Alexandre, Napeleon Kid Gloves, 4 buttons, at \$1 25 a pair (\$1 75 regular price), grays, tans and browns Alexandre, Suede Kid Gloves 21 a pair (\$1 75 usual price). By all means visit the Glove Department at once.

New Dress Trimmings and Buttons novelties in the new dres

"OUR SPECIALTY"-

PRINTED INDIA SILKS. More new styles in stock-\$1, \$1 2 and \$1 50-Cashmere and Chene colo ings. Our stock includes all qualities,

45c, 55c, 55c (27 inches wide), 75c, \$1,

\$1 25 to \$4 a yard. Embroideries, Laces, White Goods These stocks now complete with latest and newest effects and at taking prices

Final sale of all Winter Wrage this week in our Cloak Room. Come in now. Prices low. A general clearance to be made in everything in Winter

JOS. HORNE & CO.'S

PENN AVENUE STORES.

of a people that are very queer to her.

Mr. B. L. Davis, of Fifth avenue, re FOR A PROHIBITION DANCE. turned Wednesday from Japan, where he Our County Commissioners Now See

TO PAY THE PIPER.

The State of Allegheny Must

Furnish a Round \$15,000

the County Commissioners' office.

will be about \$35.

McWilliams said:

several dollars each.

ALLEGHENY COUNTY MUST PAY.

the polling place is not in a schoolhouse

"There are 367 polling places in the

JUST A BOUND \$15,000.

elves, but this is not likely."

dustries of Pittsburg.

tor next to their brewery.

KNOCKED IN THE HEAD.

out, if people take the trouble to investigate them. I know of the following arrange-

ments that had been almost made before this discussion first came up. When the Legislature passed the bill submitting the

mplated building a malt house and eleva-

BUT THEY GAVE IT UP.

time adding improvements, but this year they were going to make an extra spurt.

There is a syndicate that stands ready to-day to buy all the breweries in the coun-

y, and have made an offer of \$7,000,000. This also includes the outside interests.

They would make an agreement that no foreign beer be shipped here. I have figured

it up that the breweries employ about 2,000 men. The hoop iron mills here are de-

has been since last August.

The gentleman has very much enjoyed his No Other Way Out of It. trip, and he can tell about many interesting

things he has seen in that sunny land. He brought with him his daughter, Miss A BREWER'S AGENT GETS ANGRY,

Annie K. Davis, who has been a teacher at one of the principal schools in Tokio, and also a Japanese lady, the wife of Captain N. Serata, the commander of the Japanese And Tells of Half a Million of Improvements Navy. The lady will probably stay here Knocked in the Head.

for several years.

Her husband has lately been sent to China as an attache of the Japanese legation, and while he will remain at that post, his wite will be among Pittsburgers.

While speaking about what he had seen in Japanese. EVERYTHING SORT OF HANGING FIRE

in Japan, Mr. Davis said yesterday:
"There is so much to be seen there that is A new phase of the special election to be held in June was developed vesterday in strange to us that I hardly know how to be gin telling about it. Anyhow, there has been so much written about Japan that I do not think it will matter much if I miss The question of how much the election something. The people of course have utterly different customs to ours, and it would cost, and who would bear the expense was brought up. After much discussion seemed very funny to me, when I was assigned to my room in a hotel in Tokio, and among the clerks of the office the sentiment found it to be perfectly empty. Chairs and tables, you must know, are not used there. was that the election would cost over \$15,000, and the count would have to stand the ex-

A VERITABLE YUM YUM.

Little Japanese Lady Brought From Far-

Some very unique and interesting points from the far-off land of the Mikado are

given by a gentleman of this city, who brought with him from Japan a real, live,

cunning little Japanese lady. She is here

to learn something of the language and ways

try Told by a Pittsburger.

Off Japan-Queer Customs of the Coun-

The people sit on the floor and they eat from the floor. "Other extraordinary things I noticed out A great many people in this city have there, and which struck me as very odd, inthought that the State would pay the exdeed, were the railroads, the telegraphs, the telephones, and the electric lighting. You pense of the election. This is incorrect. think it very curious, that a people of Unless some special legislation is enacted such, peculiar contrast to other civilized between now and the time for holding the nations, should have all the inventions of modern times. And I must say they manelection, the only thing the State will pay for will be the printing and furnishing the ipulate things on a better system there, than tickets. Each county will have to bear its we do here. All the time I was in Japan, I tickets. Each county will have to bear its never heard of a single railroad accident. Why? because trains do not travel faster own share of the expense of the election, and in proportion to the number of polling than 20 miles an hour, pedestrians are not places in each county, so great will be the allowed to walk along, or across the tracks,

cost. The expenses of each polling precinct in fact human life is considered of greater value there than it is with us. "The people themselves are very sociable and hospitable. They try to do everything A DISPATCH reporter interrogated County they can to make you feel comfortable, of course all done in their own unique manner, Commissioner Mc Williams yesterday afternoon, in regard to the election. To the question of who would bear the expense Mr.

but none the less appreciable.

"Americans are the most favored of all foreigners in Japan. In fact it is a first-class recommendation for a person to be an American. The country is astonishingly progressive in civilization. The people are all apt, and anxious to learn the English less are and English "Of course the county will have to pay for nearly everything, and the cost will be considerable. The expenses of each polling precinct are divided as follows: One Judge language and English manners. A good many of our customs are adopted.
"English schools are growing all over the of Election, who is paid \$5 per day, two inspectors at \$5 each, two clerks the same, country like mushrooms, and all are rapidly filling with pupils. My daughter is here on a vacation, and she will return to Tokio in rent of place used for holding the election from \$2 50 to \$10. This must be paid when

putting in a new window, steps, etc., about RAISING THE STREETS. \$3. Stationery about \$2 50. The latter includes return sheets, copy of election laws, Allegheny Councils Want to Know How reports, pens, etc. All this expense is in Much the Pennsylvania Company Will addition to the Constable's fees of \$2 50 for

opening and closing the polls.

"It is a question whether we will have to provide new ballot boxes or not for the election. The law says that a ballot box cannot be used for another election until a year following the last election. The ballot boxes are are union and the last election. Contribute to the Cost. A joint meeting of the Allegheny Com-mittees on Streets and Sewers, Public Works and Railroads, was held in Select Conneil chamber last night for the purpose of revear following the last election. The ballot boxes we are using now are divided into compartments, and if we can use them without disturbing the ballots of the last election out disturbing the ballots of the last election. The child had golden hair, and blue are converted for the sub-committee on estimates to change the sub-committee on estimates to change the sub-committee on estimates to change the child had golden hair, and blue are converted for the child had golden hair, and blue are converted for the child had golden hair, and blue are converted for the child had golden hair, and blue are converted for the child had golden hair, and blue are converted for the child had golden hair, and blue are converted for the child had golden hair, and blue are child had golden hair, and blue are converted for the child had golden hair, and blue are child had golden hair. out disturbing the ballots of the following tion, I do not think it will be necessary to provide new ones. If we cannot do this we new plans were exhibited, and the following limbs and body were all black and blue and limbs and body were all black and blue and blue and limbs and body were all black and blue and limbs and body were all black and blue and limbs and body were all black and blue and limbs and body were all black and blue and limbs and body were all black and blue and limbs and body were all black and blue and limbs and body were all black and blue and limbs and body were all black and blue and limbs and body were all black and blue and limbs and body were all black and blue and limbs and body were all black and blue and limbs and body were all black and blue and limbs and body were all black and blue and limbs and body were all black and blue and limbs and body were all black and blue and limbs and body were all black and blue and limbs and body were all black and blue and limbs and body were all black and blue and limbs and limb Federal street crossing, \$3,014 50; San-crushed, and three fingers were cut off one

boxes, they will cost over \$500. As there are 367 polling places, and the cost of each man street, \$17,165; opening and widening Coleman street, \$15,800. Total, \$45,627 50; me about \$35, the expense will be nearly contingencies, 10 per cent, \$4,562 75; grand total, \$50,190 25. This does not include estimates for claims for damages that might The incidentals, including the printing of Mr. Woelfel moved that the report be re the Sheriff's proclamation, etc., will foot up ceived and the committee discharged. He said the matter is all embodied in a bill be-fore the Legislature, and they could do "I do not know what provision will be

corner Martin and Craig streets, \$187; Cole-

de to pay the expense of the election. nothing until that measure was disposed of. Mr. Cochrane did not want the matter cut We have not received any appropriation to cover it, and it is not at all likely that the off so short. State will offer much assistance. The ex-The report of the sub-committee showed penses of the election in Pittsburg and Al-legheny may be borne by the cities themthe cost of regrading, repaying, etc., of the streets, alleys and the building of retaining walls and bridges on the Ft. Wayne and West Penn tracks at Federal, Sandusky John J. O'Reilly, dealer in brewer's sup-plies, was interviewed yesterday. Mr. O'Reilly comes into personal contact with and Anderson streets. It was as follows: every brewer in the city almost every week, and when asked what the latter were doing about the election, said:
"The brewers of Pittsburg and Allegheny have hardly done anything yet, but you can rest assured that they will not let barley

have under their feet. I have noticed that there is one thing that has not been brought brought the total cost up to \$1,151,667 10. out yet in the talk going on. I refer to the vast improvements which were in contemplation by the brewers of the two cities, but which will be knocked in the head it the prohibitory law passes. The brewers feel that there is not a shadow of a doubt that the amendment will be defeated, but in case it does pass, it will be a hard blow to the cross a street at grade in cities of the first and second classes, and when it was desired to change the grade at a crossing the ex-pense was to be borne by the city and the railroad equally. In the present case he could not say what amount the railroad company would contribute toward defray-ing the expense. It was decided to do noth-ing until the railroad company considers "The improvements that were con-templated by the brewers would aggregate about \$500,000. I am not making an idle bluff, but can give facts that will be borne

the matter and decides what to do. HE DIED FOR LOVE.

"Wainwrights were going to build a new elevator for the storage of malt. Spencer person, but none of them contained his was working on the plans for new brick stables, ice machine, etc. Stanb & Co. were going to put in a new ice machine, and increase their storage capacity for beer. The Keystone Brewing Company talked of building a new malt house and enlarging the undertakers' office and identified him as Adam Arnold, a young man who was employed at Miller's brickyard.

He said that his parents had not forbidden Arnold to call on his sister, but that they had refused to allow him to board there, claiming that they did not have enough of room in the house to accommodate him.

Arnold committed suicide in a very delibertal manuar. He unlessened his chief. Winter Brothers were also going to build additional storing capacity.

"Eberhart & Ober had the plans for fine offices, residence for their foreman, and a bottling house across from their brew-Lutz & Son were going to enlarge Hippely & Hopp had in contemplation making an addition to their storebouse, and were going to put in a Newill machine. Bauerlein Brothers & Co. were going to increase the capacity of their malthouse and storeroom. A. Schaeffer was also going to increase his storing capacity. These are the only ones I know of. The brewers are all the time adding improvements but this week erate manner. He unloosened his shirts, and placed the muzzle of the revolver against his left breast, and fired. Death must have resulted instantaneously. He has

no relatives in this vicinity, and boarded at the house of Mrs. Bouse on the New Bright-

Frank Comerford Arrested Yesterday for Stenling Cow Skins. Frank Comerford was arrested on suspicion of robbing a freight car on the Pittsburg

the action of the Coroner. Cost for filling on streets and parks, \$166,-Cost for filing on streets and parks, \$165,-462 40; paving cartway, \$38,000 70; repaving sidewalks, \$13,098,60; vaults to be raised and retaining walls built, \$13,500; retaining walls along railroads, \$38,800; three bridges over railroads, \$30,000; cost of raising buildings, \$513,200; filling street blocks to grade, \$240,000. Other incidentals brought the total cost up to \$1,151,667,10 ing to-morrow morning.

James McCrea, General Manager of the Pennsylvania Company, said the bill before the Legislature would have no effect on the question at issue. It provided that hereafter no railroad should be constructed to cross a street at grade in cities of the first

A Young Man Shoots Himself Because he was to be given to a Pittsburg com-pany, and the iron was to be made in this city. The contract price of the work was a little less than \$25,000. They also conhours after the shot was fired, and was re-

There were several letters on the man's

on Road. Miss Lochr lives on California avenue in the Eleventh ward. The Corone will hold an inquest this morning.

A HIDE-BOUND PRISONER. Yesterday afternoon a young man named

pendent on the brewers and coopers for the sale of their iron. Nearly all the hoop iron turned out of Painter & Sons and Lindsay & McCutcheon's mills is used on Pittsburg beer barrels and kear."

The hoop from mills here are defined and Western Railroad, on Wednesday night, of a number of hides.

Comerford had the goods, and disposed of them to a man named Brinker. He said he